TOWN TALK.

Look out for counterfeit silver dollars. Register of Deeds McCormick has returned from a visit to Chicago. Some of the barber-shops talk of keeping

open on Sundays again.

File notes of issue for the December term of the Circuit Court to-day.

The Young Mens' Democratic Club meets at the lonis street armory to-night.

Sheriff Kinney was the first of the re-elected officers to take his oath of office. The new blocks, erected on South Division

street, are rapidly filling up with tenants. The Scribner street carryall, now stands in Campan Face, near the corner of Canal and Pearl streets.

The Acme club opens its second series of Front street, this evening. Judge Parrish will lecture before the West

Michigan Farmers' Club on the "Law of Suicide" next Tuesday. Since the establishment of the relief squad there has been less sickness in the po-lice department than ever before.

The fair held at the residence of Hon. S L. Withey, on Thursday evening, realized \$200 for the benefit of the Michigan Alumnae cholarship, at Va-sar.

Ellsworth Ricard, of Big Rapids, was arraigned in the United States Court yesterday on the charge of falsely altering a Treasury note. He pleaded not guilty. During the absence of the family, on

Thursday night, a burglar entered the residence of Lowell Hall, 130 Fountain street, and stole a quantity of silver ware. Ella McCormick, No. 121 Bartlett street, diphtheria, and Grace Holt, No. 286 Sonth

Union street, chicken-pox, is a transcript of yes erday's report of the Board of Health. The funeral of Patrolman Price's little son, who died Thursday, will be held at 10 o'clock this morning, from the framily resi-dence, corner of Madison avenue and Reed

The case of M. R. Bissell against A. D. Plumi, for infringement of a carpet sweep-er patent, was dismissed in the United States Court yesterday, with costs against

The Committee on Ordinances continued their work yesterday, and it is confidently expected a draft of a proposed railway ordinance will be ready for the Council to take action upon by next Monday evening. Patrolman Healey reported last night toat

the meet market at the corner of Spring and Oaks street was broken into by burglars between the hours of eleven and twelve, and carcasses of three sheep stolen. No clue. Mrs. Chas. D. Fisher, a lady much es-

teemed by a large number of acquintances, died Thursday night after an illness of several weeks. She was a daughter of E. F. Ward, of the New England Furniture Com-

E. Perkins and A. B. Mason chased the insurance agency lately represented by Wm. Marshall, deceased. The new firm will be known by the name of C. E. Perkins & Co., and their office will be in the Court Block on Lyon street.

R. L. Polk & Co. and the M. A. True Printing Company have established a direc-tory exchange in the Phoenix block on Lyon street. They keep on hand State gazetteers and directories of the principal cities. The public are cordially invited to consult them

The Champlin Post G. A. R. held their semi-monthly nop last evening in their hall on Bridge street. It was well attended, and increased the interest which is developing a social interest among the friends of the veterans that is bound to make their series of hops during the winter the most popular on the West Side.

The Van Splunteren family, residing at No. 494, Ionia street, and their neighbors have been annoyed for a week past or longer with visitors who have slept in their barn. Thursday night, hearing a noise in that vi-cinity, father and son advanced to ascertain to ascertain the cause, when they were fired upon by unknown parties. The police are on the alert.

HIS REASON GONE.

ready Full.

Application has been made to have Charles Carroll admitted to the Insane Asylum at Kalamazoo. The authorities at the Institution report that it is full, and that he cannot be admitted at present. Carroll's case is one of more than passing interest. He served as a soldier in the late war and made a good record for gallantry and faithfulness, was taken prisoner and compelled for some time to suffer the "horrors" of a southern prison. The abuses and exposure he was obliged to endure there, are the remote causes, which have tended to bring about his present misfortune.

... Smith is Out of Politics.

Yesterday's Detroit Free Press in speaking of Governor-elect Alger's appointments, mentioned Will A. Smith, of this city, as probably private secretary to the Governorelect. A THI-BURAN reporter asked Smith last evening if there was any truth in the report that he was likely to receive such an appointment. He replied that "he had neither asked for, or been tendered the ap pointment, and would not accept it if it was offered. I will not accept any office at all, but shall give my undivided attention to the law business, and hope by hard work and strict attention to my profession to carve out a success more enduring and satisfactory than any political success I might possibly at ain could hope to be." It is evident from these remarks that Mr. Smith's voluntary retirement from politics is permanent.

The Fortnightly Club.

Some twenty-five or thirty of the Universalist young people met at Rev. Mr. Flubrer's house on South Prospect street last evening and formed a social club with the following officers: President, Chas. W. Holden: Vice Presidents, Miss Hattie Wykes, W. L. Snyder and Ada Hunt; Secretary, Miss Nellie Osterhout: Treasurer, Frank Jewell. It meets the first and third Fridays of each month. The next meeting will be at Mr.

It Looked Suspicious.

Patrolman Beattie, whose beat is on West Bridge street, ran across a man named Alexander Visner, who was offering a horse and ouggy for sale at \$25. Suspecting at once that the rig did not belong to Visner, Beattie a rested him and brought him to headquar-ters. A cheap watch also formed a consideration in the transaction. After being rined a little while. Virner proved to Supt. Perry's astisfaction that the rig circulty er new an broa maid at frequence

THE SCIENTISTS

Various Topics Discussed at Last Night's Regular Session.

The regular meeting of the Kent Scientific Institute, held in the high school last evening, was well attended. Dr. Purker presided, and the discussions among the members upon various topics were interesting and instructive. Samuel Dunlap, a resident of Walker township, presented the institute with a piece of wood about three feet long. and four inches in diameter, which he had found in Indian Creek about four feet beneath the surface of the ground, It had been cut by beavers years ago and used in building dams. Prof. Strong presented another piece of wood found in the clay, forty-two feet deep, at Brown & Clark's brick yard. He made some very interesting remarks about the beaver cutting donation; that the beavers built their dams across rivulets and small streams generally in the flats below larger dams.

Capt. Coffinbury presented his report on Archaeology and exhibited a gorget found in a mound in Ohio. Dr. Parker then spoke at some length on the German carp; He stated that it is now being extensively introduced in this country. The first specimens were brought to California in 1872. In 1876 three hundred were brought here from Germany and deposited at Baltimore and Washington. If there are other fish confined with the carp, they cannot be successfully reared. They deposit their spawn on plants suited to rearing them, and the nearer it can be kept to an even temperature the better. Some have the erroneous idea that they can be propagated in our lakes and rivers the water must be pure and entirely free from any pest such as the muskrat snake, frog. &c. The interest in this fish is spreading, and its cultivation in this country increasing. The rearing of the carp will be a source of great service to the farmer, as it can be raised with profit and is considered excellent eating. Then followed a general discussion among the members, as to plans of exercises at future meetings. It was thought best to make some definite arrangement beforehand as to subjects to be

discussed at the meetings. Hon. S. L. Fuller, in his discussion complimented the energy displayed among the ladies belonging to the literary clubs, that their clubs numbered two hundred members, and that they took an ardent interest in their meetings, and had all been greatly benefited. Prof. Strong added that he was proud of the ladies of Grand Rapids who had taken such persistent interest in these clubs, and thought that the Institute ought to have a course of elementary talks on the various topics which naturally come under its consideration. A motion was ade to invite Fred A. Holcomb, superin tendent of the Grand Rapids Electric Light and Power Company, to talk or read a paper on the "Electrical Exhibit at Philadelphia," at the next meeting. The Institute then adjourned until the first Friday in December.

COOKING OYSTERS.

Mrs. Ewing's Instructions on the Subject Yesterday.

The attendance at Mrs. Ewing's lectures seems to be increasing rather than diminishing. Yesterday she devoted the afternoon to teaching the ladies how to cook oysters. She manipulated the bivalves, giving them their coats of breadcrumbs, egg batter and cracker crumbs, and then put them into the boiling fat. The aroma arising made every one in the hall wish for a chance to test practically the superior excellence of Mrs. Ewing's cookery. But only the reporters present were allowed to taste the fried oysters, the ladies could only look at them and be satisfied with a scalloped oyster on a piece of bread. The lecture to-day will be on French candies, and will be a fitting close to Public Institutions for the Insane Al- Mrs. Ewing's efforts to instruct the ladies of this vicinity in the very important art of cookery. But she will be succeeded next week by Mrs. Sophie W. Knight, and the ladies who have been so regular in their attendance upon this course will no doubt avail themselves of the opportunity to be further instructed in the art of making home happy.

The Hotel Registers.

AT THE MORTON-R. L. French, Jackson; W. H. Squier, Big Rapids; E. G. Wilson, Logansport, Ind.; T. E. Orton, Johnstown, N. Y.; A. E. Brownell, Coldwater; A. P. Brickmore, Philadelphia; A. H. Morrison, St. Joseph; E. S. Ransom, Chicago: C. E. Armstrong, New York; John F. Martin, Detroit; Will M. Webster, Milwaukee; Alonzo Orne, Boston; R.B. Sheeran, Detroit; T. T. Lyon, South Haven; M. C. Wrgiht, Chicago; A. E. Bartlett, Kalamazoo; W. T. Greenland, New York: Harvey Avery, St. Lonis: J. B. Whitcher, Detroit; W. Hansen, Dowagiac; Geo. F. Hipple, Cincinnati.

AT Sweet's .- J. W. Friedman, New York; E. Buckley, Detroit; H. T. Chase, Boston; C. C. Deane, Boston; W. Moore, Chicago; J. A. Smith, New York; W. B. Swartwout, Three Rivers; Geo. E. Downe, Fitchburg, Mass.; Frank A. Butler, Chicago; J. McKinin, Detroit; A. C. Truesdell, Muskegon; E. E. Ricker, Rockford.

AT THE EAGLE-Geo. S. Powelsin, Lowell Wm. Meagher, Detroit; J. M. Tarbet, New Haven, Conn.; D. R. Reynolds, Cincinnati: H. Freeman, Macelonia, Mich.; J. J. Sullivan, Cleveland; A. J. Sinclair, Adrian; Geo. Eaton, Lansing; R. E. Adams, Toledo, O.: Geo. S. Megee, Rushville, Ind.: H. Thompson, Port Huron: E. H Stevens, Toledo, O .: L. B. Clemens, Berlin, Ont.; James Penniman, Chicago: E. Wilkes McClair, New

AT THE RATHBUN .- P. Freedman, Buffalo, N. P.; P. W. Kain, Detroit; J. B. Ferguson, Middleville: Thos. D. Smith, Ravenna: F. L. Way, Toledo, O.: F. M. Wright. New York; W. S. Felton, North Fairfield, O.; T. D. Blossem, Detroit; C. I. Deyo, Ionia; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hayes, Cadillac; L. L. Graham, Chicago; E. P. Brett, Ashton.

Barnon Street House.-U. J. Baxter. Washington, D. C.: Samuel Toby and daughter, Byron Center: J. Bush and wife, Grattant R. L. Hall, Chicago; H. E. Clark, Lowell, Mich,; E. W. Pickett and wife, Wayland, Mich.; R. H. Woodin, Sparts: L. E. Paige. Sparts; D. D. Rull, Casnovia; J. DeHart. Casnovia: George Gray, Olivet; E. F. Lillie Coopersville; Mrs. J. M. Thomas, Cannon.

JOHN AND MARTHA

They Do Not Agree and John Sues for Freedom.

That the course of true love never did run smooth, is a fact acknowledged by mankind in general, since Adam's day. But that John Raak, who married Martha Ginghuis, at Holland City, April 22, 1876, suspected the saw was as rough as it read, is more than an open question. The records of yesterday in the Superior Court shows that John wishes he had never met Martha, and that the aforesaid "course" rougher than flesh and his mortal endurance can possibly bear. In his oratorical bill addressed to Judge Parrish he asserts that, although their union had given them two of God's children, Martha had an ungovernable temper, and was of an extremely jealous disposition. That she constantly neglected her household duties and frequently and wickedly neglected her motherly duties toward her offspring; and further, this tale of matrimonial lament goes on to say that Martha, on one or more occasions, called her spouse a d-d fool, locked him out of the house and the children in, while she was out "gadding," visiting her neighbors, and villifying him whom she had sworn to love, honor and obey. He the said John, also testified that Martha had treated him coldly, and even at times would go to bed without speaking to him. and at others followed him about at his daily labors, abusing him and calling him harsh growing in ponds. Warm water is best names. Hence John wishes that Martha may go and be as if he had never known her, and believes a bill of divorce will satisfy his

THE STANTON AFFAIR.

Still a Mystery-A Brother Thinks a Brother Injured.

A TELEGRAM reporter in an interview with brother of Mr. Geo. W. Stanton, last evening, learned that the wounded man was doing well though still suffering somewhat from his lame arm and an aggravated toothache occasioned by a recent dental operation. This brother, L. B. Stanton, proprietor of the Michigan Trade Journal, thought George had been unfairly treated in the TELEGRAM's account of the "rather mysterious" affair, inasmuch as no reference had been made to the fact that the said George is very near-sighted, and without glasses cannot recognize a friend across the room. This optical weakness may possibly explain why he cannot give a more complete description of his antagonist. In both affairs his glasses are supposed to have been knocked from his eyes, and hence may account for his not being able to recognize fully the countenance of his assailant. The description he gives to Chief Detective Moran is that the man wore a black slouch hat, had a moustache, wore a grayish-colored overcoat and was stoutly built, of a height a few inches greater than himself. L. B. has the utmost confidence in his brother's statements, and is as much at sea to explain a motive on the part of the attacking party as the rest of the public.

THE COURTS.

Circuit Court.

HON. R. M. MONTGOMEBY, JUDGE. FRIDAY, Nov. 21.—Elizabeth E. Watson v. Daniel M. Watson. Trespass on the case. OFFICE BUSINESS.

Daniel Sullivan v. James Towle. Assumpsit. Suit commenced.
D. E. Corbitt v. Geo. Kortlander, et al Assumpsit. Suit commenced.

Police Court.

WON. JOHN T. HOLMES, JUDGE. FRIDAY, Nov. 21.—William Ocker, drunk; paid \$4.35. Andrew McGarry, keeping saloon without a license; adjourned to Nov. 25 following item:
"Two Sohmer uprights have been shipped at 9 a. m.

United States Court.

HON. S. L. WITHEY, DISTRICT JUDGE. FRIDAY, Nov. 21.—Melville R. Bissell v. Adelmer D. Plumb, in equity. Order dismissing bill with costs against defendants.

Stephen Emigh v. Wm. Cordes, et al., in equity. It was held by the court, following the ruling of the Supreme Court of the State of Michigan, that in case of mortgage forcelosure no solicitor's fees, event that al. foreclosure no solicitor's fees, except that al lowed by statute, can be taxed, even though a specific sum or reasonable amount had been stipulated in the mortgage. Decree for complainant for \$4,295.17.

United States v. Ellsworth Rickard. De-fendant arraigned and pleaded not guilty to an information for falsely altering a treasury note. Remanded to jail to await trial.

Superior Court.

HON. ISAAC H. PARRISH, JUDGE. FRIDAY, Nov. 21.—Allen B. Leet v. Orrin E. Brown. (Three cases.) Assumpsit. Causes discontinued.

Probate Court.

HON. CYRUS E. PERKINS, JUDGE. FRIDAY, Nov. 21.—Estate of Wm. Marshall, deceased. Petition for administration filed. Dec. 15 set for hearing.

Estate of John McDonough, deceased. Administratrix's final account filed. Dec. 22 set for hearing.

Justice's Courts.

JUSTICE SINCLAIR. FRIDAY, Nov. 21.—Union Mutual Fire Insurance Company v. J. H. Brower. Assumpsit. Adjourned to Dec. 2.

JUSTICE WESTFALL. FRIDAY, Nov. 21.—James Gallup, assignee of McCulloch & Co., v. Thomas Dixon. As-sumpsit. Judgment for plaintiff by default

for \$12.90 and costs.
Same v. Nelson H. Walbridge. Assumpsit,
Judgment for plaintiff by default \$21.45 and The People v. Loren Sargent, Assault. ase dismissed, complainant paid half the

FRIDAY, Nov. 21.—Andrew McGarry v. Charles C. Rood. Trespass. Adjourned to

Gerard Muller v. Leroy Baily. Assump-sit. Settled and costs paid. Same v. S. Cuples' Wooden-ware Com-pany, garnishee of Leroy Barly. Settled and garnishee released. Michigan Sportsmen.

E. S. Holmes, president of the Michigan

Sportsmen's Association, has issued a notice of an adjourned meeting of the association to be held at Jackson on Tuesday. Dec. 9, "for the transaction of very important business." Particular attention will be called to renewed efforts to secure the appointment of a State Fish and Game Waitden, or Wardens. Some more efficient mesns of securing obedience to our Fish and Game laws, the notice says, must be adopted, or the property of the people here referred to will disappear in a few years more. THE COOKING SCHOOL

A Correspondent Discourses on Its Various Benefits.

There is a common saying nowadays that "if our foresight was as clear as our hindsight how many rough places in the walks of life would be made smooth?"

The young man, when he arrives at the age | Lamps. They are necessarily made of of maturity, forms the acquaintance of his ideal of perfection. Her comely looks pleases his eye, her musical voice pleases his ear, and those senses combined with that indefinable attribute called love, make her an object of perfection to him. Had wings, she would surely be an angel. But after the purson has rendered his services and housekeeping has commenced, there is a break in the current of harmony between the eye, the ear and the stomach. The stomach becomes clogged, that dims the eye, and dulls the ear so that those meditative moments that once thought that she only lacked | preserve their eyesight by means of a good wings to make her an angel, now thinks that light, the Sun Lamp will prove a blessing. she tacks skill in the kitchen to make her home a heaven fit for angels. That fine musical education is only one of the ele-ments of happiness. Could those fine parlor entertainments be exchanged for a few kitchen entertainments to him the change would be very acceptable.

As the stomach grows sick the eye grow dim and the ear grows dull, until in hi deep meditations, instead of thinking of his recent ideal, he is thinking of all his enemies, how he would like to invite them to dinner, and then see them groan with the dyspepsia for a week afterward.

dyspepsia for a week afterward.

But even the dyspeptic, the most disconsolate of all the disconsolates is looking cheerful this week. He has heard that Mrs. Ewing and Mrs. Knight have started a cooking school here; and he is going to avail himself of his hind sight, and send his ideal, though perfect as she is, to that school. He feels confident that if he can get the lectures of those ladies reduced to practice in his kitchen, it will save his pocket, it will save

his stomach, save his temper and save his high appreciation of his ideal. We heard one of those lectures yesterday; there was a good-sized audience present, but they were not those who go home and prac-tice what they were taught. Had some of those ladies taken their kitchen girls with them they would derive greater benefit from

But Mrs. Knight resides in this city, and Mrs. Ewing promised to come here again the week before Christmas and give a course of lectures free, providing the citizens would furnish a hall and pay the disbursements, then we will have all the cooks attend; and if we can have such cooking as those ladies gave us at the hall become general we will see so many smiling faces in the streets that every Democrat will declare that it is the result of a change of administration. C.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

The Appointments Made Among the Churches for To-Morrow.

UNIVERSALIST-Rev. Charles Fluhrer, pastor, will preach, morning and evening, at the usual hours. Morning subject: "Some Characteristics of True Manliness." Evening subject: "The Un-knowable God." Sunday school at 2 p. m.

UNITARIAN SERVICE-Rev. Henry Powers, will preach at Powers' Opera House, in the morning on "The Mystery of Sorrow," and in the evening on "The Modern Revival System: Is it Worthy of Our Confidence?"

Reading room, 100 Monroe street, open 12 to 7 | 5c per yard. Bible study at the Y. M. C. A. rooms to-night at 7:30 o'clock, led by Rev. P. Moerdyk. Subject, "Proverbs of Solomon."—Prov. I: 1-16. All are invited.

THE Y. M. C. A.

Jail-Gospel service 12 to 1:15 o'clock. Young men's consecration meeting in the room

Boys' meeting at 2:30 o'clock p. m. Gospel meeting at 3:20 o'clock at the G. R. & I. Union depot, and at the Bridge street depot. Monday evening young men's meeting at the

Thursday evening, Yokefellows' young peoples' neeting at Y. M. C. A. rooms.

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the 18th day of the mosth next succeeding that in
which the gas was used.

Artificial Light,

In these days of progress there is a demand for better means of illumination than ever before. The dazzling brilliancy of the electric light makes our common kerosene lamps as dim as tallow dips in the comparison. This demand has been fully met by the introduction of the Sun metal because the draft or chimney extends down through the center of the lamp. The wicks are five inches wide and give a light of forty-five candle power, equal to three gas burners. These lamps were brought out at the close of last season, but the price was so high-\$6 each-but few were sold. Owing to the enormous demand which has sprung up, they are now produced at a price within the reach of all, and sold for \$3 in brass and \$3.50 in nickel, complete with ten-inch porcelain shade. To persons troubled with weak eyes or those who desire to The New Styles of Hanging Lamps are

made of a gold color solid bronze metal, and trimmed with cut glass prisms and decorated shades. The dome-shaped shades look the best, but we imagine the angle of reflection from the cone shape is best for throwing light down. These lamps are also much cheaper than last year. They are now sold at from \$5 to \$7 each. Fine table lamps are furnished with duplex or twowick burners, giving double the light of the single wick burners. There are many styles of these lamps on exhibition, including solid bronze and the popular hammered brass. For information received thanks are due Messrs. H. Leonard & Sons, importers, 16 Monroe street.

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